

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) An image signal transmitting/receiving method comprising:
transmitting/receiving a main image signal;
determining whether a cut-off mode has been set for a main image signal;
transmitting and displaying, during a telephonic communication, a sub-image signal instead of the main image signal in case that the cut-off mode is ~~set~~set
~~transmitting and displaying, during a telephonic communication, the main image signal instead of the sub image signal in case that the cut off mode is not set,~~
~~wherein the sub image signal comprises one of a signal inputted by a user or a previously transmitted main image signal and is stored in a predetermined storing area.~~
2. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the main image signal is a received image signal.
3. – 6. (Canceled)

7. (Currently amended) An image signal transmitting/receiving apparatus comprising:

an image signal processor for processing a main image signal;

a display unit for displaying the received main image signal;

a controller for checking whether a cut-off mode has been set for the main image signal; and

an image signal selector for selectively outputting, during a telephonic communication, a sub-image signal instead of the main image signal to the image signal processor or the display unit in case that the cut-off mode has been set ~~or outputting the main image signal to the image signal processor in case that the cut-off mode has not been set,~~

~~wherein the sub image signal comprises one of a signal stored by a user or a previously transmitted main image signal.~~

8. – 9. (Canceled)

10. (Currently amended) An image signal transmitting apparatus comprising:

an image signal processor for processing a main image signal;

a controller for checking whether a cut-off mode has been set for the main image signal; and

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an image signal selector for outputting during a telephonic communication a sub-image signal instead of the main image signal to the image signal processor in case that the cut-off mode has been set, ~~or outputting the main image signal to the image signal processor in case that the cut-off mode has not been set,~~

~~wherein the sub image signal is a signal stored by a user or the main image signal that has been previously transmitted.~~

11. – 12. (Canceled)

13. (Currently amended) An image signal receiving apparatus comprising:

an image signal processor for processing a main image signal;

a display unit for displaying the received main image signal;

a controller for checking whether a cut-off mode has been set for the main image signal; and

an image signal selector for outputting during a telephonic communication a sub-image signal instead of the received main image signal to the display unit in case that the cut-off mode has been set, ~~or outputting the received main image signal to the image signal display unit in case that the cut-off mode has not been set~~

~~wherein the sub image signal comprises one of a signal stored by a user or a previously transmitted main image signal.~~

14. - 15. (Canceled)

16. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising setting the cut-off mode.

17. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the cut-off mode is set during telephonic communication.

18. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 7, further comprising a device for setting the cut-off mode.

19. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 18, wherein the cut-off mode is set during telephonic communication.

20. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 10, further comprising a device for setting the cut-off mode.

21. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the sub-image signal is a signal stored in a predetermined storing area.

22. (New) The method of claim 21, wherein the sub-image signal is one of a signal inputted by a user or a previously transmitted main image signal.

23. (New) The method of claim 1, further comprising transmitting and displaying, during a telephonic communication, the main image signal instead of the sub-image signal when the cut-off mode is not set.

24. (New) The apparatus of claim 7, wherein the sub-image signal is a signal stored by a user or the main image signal that has been previously transmitted.

25. (New) The apparatus of claim 7, wherein the image signal selector outputs the main image signal to the image signal processor instead of the sub-image signal when the cut-off mode has not been set.

26. (New) The apparatus of claim 10, wherein the sub-image signal is a signal stored by a user or the main image signal that has been previously transmitted.

27. (New) The apparatus of claim 10, wherein the image signal selector outputs the main image signal to the image signal processor instead of the sub-image signal when the cut-off mode has not been set.

28. (New) The apparatus of claim 13, wherein the sub-image signal is a signal stored by a user or the main image signal that has been previously transmitted.

29. (New) The apparatus of claim 13, wherein the image signal selector outputs the received main image signal to the image signal display unit when the cut-off mode has not been set.

30. (New) A method for selectively transmitting an image signal comprising:
inputting an image signal to an image input unit;
encoding the image signal inputted;
determining if a cut-off mode has been set; and
performing during a telephonic communication one of transmitting a second image signal stored in a storage unit if the cut-off mode has not been set or transmitting the encoded image signal inputted if the cut-off mode has been set.